

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

SCANSOFT, INC.

Plaintiff,

V.

VOICE SIGNAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,  
LAURENCE S. GILLICK, ROBERT S.  
ROTH, JONATHAN P. YAMRON, and  
MANFRED G. GRABHERR

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 04-10353-PBS

### DECLARATION OF REBECCA L. HANOVICE

I, Rebecca L. Hanovice, depose under oath and state as follows:

1. I am an attorney at the firm of Bromberg & Sunstein LLP, 125 Summer Street, Boston, MA 02110. I represent ScanSoft, Inc. ("ScanSoft") in the above-captioned matter.
2. On Monday, May 23, 2005, I received correspondence related to the above-captioned action via facsimile from Wendy S. Plotkin, Esq., counsel for Voice Signal Technologies, Inc. ("VST"). The facsimile also contained a lengthy document unrelated to this action.
3. Per the request of an administrative assistant to counsel for VST, I disregarded the inadvertently attached document and immediately destroyed it.

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2005.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Rebecca L. Hanovice', written in dark ink.

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Rebecca L. Hanovice

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Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2005.

/s/ Rebecca L. Hanovice  
Rebecca L. Hanovice

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